

Downtown Treasure Hunt



Ready to test your detective skills? Explore downtown Harrisonburg and solve the puzzle! Read about Harrisonburg on the historical signs downtown, around the Courthouse and near the Hardesty Higgins House. They will help you find the answers to the questions. Then take the letters that have a number underneath them and write them above their number at the bottom of the page. They will spell out the answer!

Who founded Harrisonburg?

1 _____ 2 _____

What was Harrisonburg also known as when it was founded?

3



Who was the first mayor of Harrisonburg?

4 _____ 5 _____ 6 _____

Which army used the courthouse as a holding pen for prisoners during the Civil War?

The _____ Army

7 8

What general used the Hardesty Higgins house as his headquarters during the Civil War?

9 10 _____

Now, find the letter above the numbers in the answers, and with each letter and fill them in to solve the riddle!



Harrisonburg is the

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7 2 4 5 9 8 10 6 3 4 1 6